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MULTI-FUNCTION TOOL

WITH CARTRIDGE

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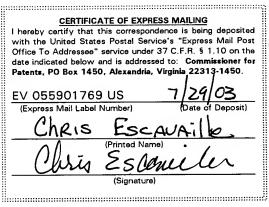
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of the above-identified copending prior application in which no patenting, abandonment, or termination of proceedings has occurred. Priority to the above-identified prior application is hereby claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 120 for this continuing application. The entire disclosure of the above-identified prior application is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuing application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

Applicant claims small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27.

Enclosed are:

- Specification, Claim(s), and Abstract (25 pages). [X]
- Formal drawings (9 sheets, Figures 1-18). [X]
- Copy of Declaration and Power of Attorney (6 pages). [X]
- Copy of Assignment of the invention to Alterra Holdings Corporation. [X]
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- Application Data Sheet (37 CFR 1.76). [X]

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